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State and County Taxes for the Fiscal Year 1903-1904  
Office of the Collector of State and County Taxes, Jackson, Amador Co., Cal., October 1, 1903.  
Notice is hereby given that I have received from the Auditor of Amador County the Duplicate Assessment Book for the fiscal year 1903-1904, and  
1st. That the taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one half of the taxes on real property will be due and payable on and after the  
Second Monday in October, 1903, and will be delinquent on the  
Last Monday in November  
next thereafter at six o'clock p. m., and unless paid prior thereto, five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.  
2d. That all taxes may be paid at the time of the first installment, as herein provided, is due and payable.  
3d. That payment of taxes must be made at the office of the Tax Collector, in the town of Jackson.  
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**A Dresden Shepherdess**  
By F. B. Wright  
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It had been a hard day for the little schoolmistress. The children had been stupid and mutinous and at the worst time had come a supervisor to criticize the lack of discipline. Miss Winthrop was too young, he had said. Perhaps the board should get a more experienced teacher.

What that meant Cicely did not dare to think, and now, crouched in the darkness by the garret window, she was trying to forget her worries, for there was to be a garden party and masquerade at the Stoughton place near by. From the window she could overlook the grounds, all a twinkle with innumerable Japanese lanterns; see the house itself, its lighted porches, its windows lit with many colored passing figures, and watch the ladies arriving at the entrance and floating in like white moths out of the summer night.

At first it was enough just to sit there, head on sill, watching it all and hearing the swing and rhythm of the faint dance music. But little by little came over her a longing to have some part in the gayety her whole young spirit craved. She was young too. She was pretty—as her mirror told her. She had loved dancing in the old days. Ah, those days! They seemed so far off, and yet only two years separated them from the present. Now life was so different—no more girlhood, no more pleasure, no more pretty clothes or jolly parties. That last one, the one just before her father died—that had been a bal masque too. The costume was in her trunk now—as if she would ever get the chance to wear it again! And yet, why not? A sudden thought set her heart thumping. Why not go to this one? Only for a moment. It was a masquerade. No one would know her. She could slip in through the shrubbery unobserved, mingle with the crowd and then—The plan was very dazzling to the little girl in the garret window.

Two hours later Cicely—no, not Cicely, but a Dresden china shepherdess—who had stolen away from her own life and forgotten all its cares, found herself one of a hundred or two other gay, fantastic conundrums, who chatted, laughed, banded repartee, flirted in obscure corners, sat on shadow porches or glided beneath soft lights to the dreamy music of a hidden orchestra.

The life and movement, the kaleidoscope play of color, the sheen and luster of silk and satin, the gleam of snowy arms and shoulders, the fragrance of flowers, the admiration of her partners, filled the girl's heart with delight, and her courage rose to the occasion. She was surprised to find how behind the protection of her mask she could act her part even as if she, too, belonged to the party.

Once in the swirl of a waltz she caught sight of herself in a long mirror and doubted her eyes. Could that be she, that dainty, graceful madcap with her cheeks and lips in her view, her hair in golden disorder at her neck—that Cicely Winthrop, with her own living to make and shabby clothes to wear? And the music—it seemed to lift her on its wings and bear her over the floor as lightly as any tinseltown. That was what her last partner had said, a cavalier of Charles II., when at the end of a dance they were sitting in the dimly lighted conservatory.

"Tinseltown! I believe that's what you are, or else as you do, not even one out of Watteau, and besides where are your sheep? You haven't even one little innocent snow white lamb!"

"I've escaped for a moment from them."

"Pathless shepherdess! Aren't you afraid of wolves?"

"Awfully! One came into the sheepfold today, a very savage one."

"The poor lamb! My heart bleeds!"

"It needn't. They only eat shepherdesses."

"The brutes! Do you have to fight them single handed?"

Cicely nodded. "It's hard sometimes."

"Don't you need an assistant shepherd to help? I like to kill wolves, and I adore sheep and—shepherdesses."

"You wouldn't if you could see them as they really are. The lambs are not a bit adorable, only stupid and tiresome, and the shepherdess—she'd be wearing a shabby gown and big shoes and her hair untidied. No; you'd best remain with the court."

"Hang the court! I'd heap rather be a shepherd. Won't you take me on trial?"

There was just a note of earnestness in the cavalier's voice, and Cicely tried to turn it away lightly. "I don't think you would do at all. You are much too fine a gallant."

"I may not be as fine as I seem," he returned. "I may be something quite different."

"That's it. You might be a wolf, you know, and then what would happen to my flock? No; I can't take the risk."

"Then when is the shepherdess coming to court again?"

"Never, I'm afraid. You see, she's only allowed one evening off in years, and besides, she has no court costume. Oh, this—a fairy godmother touched the shabby gown and the big shoes and when the night is over they change back as they were."

"And the girl?"

"Oh, she will be whisked away too."

"Not before unmasking time comes anyway. There is the signal now," he said as a chime of bells rang in the distant hall, followed by the sound of laughter. "Ah, you are caught, fairy shepherdess! Now disappear if you can." He dragged off his mask and waited expectant, looking at the girl. Cicely felt the blood rush to her face. "I—must go," she said hurriedly and rose. "I didn't know it was so late."

"Go! Why, you know you promised me supper, and—"

"I didn't think. I forgot for a moment. No, I must."

"Without unmasking?"

"I can't. Don't ask me why. There are reasons. Oh, I can't explain. Please let me get away!" she cried, for the man had stepped before the door. Cicely cast a hurried glance about. She spied a door leading into the garden, and before the cavalier could guess her intention she had fled through it blindly into the night, he after her.

She did not know where she ran nor care. Her only thought was to escape discovery, to get away home before exposure came. On she sped, across the lawn, into the shadow of the shrubbery, tripping over roots, held back by clinging vines, her mask brushed from her face, her breath giving out and discovery and shame at her heels. Then she tried to find some hiding place, and, falling, sank down on a bench, with a bitter, despairing cry, and buried her face in her hands.

"Why did you run? You might have known you couldn't escape me," said her pursuer as he came up. Then as he heard the girl's sobs, "Are you hurt?"

"Yes, yes," she sobbed, "but not as you think! Oh, why did I ever come! How am I to tell you? What will you think of me? I ought not to be here tonight, I am not a guest. I had no right to come."

It was a confession punctuated by sobs and little gasps of pain that the cavalier listened to.

"I saw the lights," Cicely added, "and then the waltz music came to me, and I couldn't resist it. I thought there'd be no harm—just for an hour, and then I could go back and no one would know, and I could have one pleasant memory among dreary, drugging days. I'm—I'm not so very old, and I haven't had any pleasure or happiness in so long, and this was a chance, and I took it."

She rose and dried her eyes. "You see, I told you the truth. I'm only a shepherdess and had no place in court, and now I must go back to the sheep—and the wolves again. It's been—I can't tell you what this evening has been—excuse this last."

"Do you care so much then that I know who you are?" The cavalier was standing beside the shepherdess looking down at the bent head showing so softly in the dusky shadows. "I would have sought you out in any case—if I had to search the world over. Do you care, now that I know?"

"No," returned Cicely softly.

"And I may come tomorrow and see the lambs—and the shepherdess?"

"I don't think it would be best for the lambs, but—I usually come home from the sheepfold by way of the red bridge and—"

"If you saw a wolf waiting by the bridge, would you mind?"

"Not if it was a nice wolf."

"And if the wolf were to carry you off and the lambs have to have an other shepherdess, would you be very much scared?" asked the cavalier.

"I—I don't think so," whispered the little Dresden shepherdess. "I—I—I'd rather like it."

**The Maids.**  
Mrs. Ascum—I'm surprised to find you looking for another servant. I thought you engaged one yesterday.

Mrs. Hiram Offen—Oh, she's a lady's maid. She merely waits on me. I'm looking for another one to wait on her.—Catholic Standard.

**Trustful.**  
"A woman who will not esteem a man whom she cannot trust," said the moralist.

"Yes," answered Mr. Meekin, "and I am delighted to note that Henrietta always trusts me to put the cat out and fix the furnace fire and lock the basement door and do a lot of things."—Washington Star.

**The Envious One.**  
The envious person is in pain upon all occasions which ought to give him pleasure. The relish of his life is lost, and the objects which administer the highest satisfaction to those who are exempt from this passion give the quickest pangs to persons who are subject to it. All the perfections of their fellow creatures are odious.

**Chinese Terms of Endearment.**  
In China a wife is never spoken of by her husband in a plain and straightforward way. Such playful terms as "my thorn in the ribs" and "my dull companion" are more usual, but leave something to be desired on the score of elegance. "The mean one of the inner room" has a distinct flavor of masculine selfishness about it.

**Not Always Safe.**  
Newitt—Well, there's one thing about the weather—it's always a safe topic of conversation. Borrowage—I thought it was today when I met Lendham, but when I started to speak of it he said, "Yes; it's unsettled, and that reminds me of that account of yours."

**Two of a Kind.**  
New Girl (timidly)—I s'pose you are a fine cook, mum? Young Mistress—Bless me, no! I don't know anything about it. New Girl (relieved)—Then we'll get on famously, mum. I don't either.—New Yorker.

If a man makes me keep my distance, the comfort is he keeps his at the same time.—Swift.

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**"Kith" and "Kin."**  
"Kith and kin" has become a phrase vaguely applied to express relationship, but "kith" has nothing to do with kinship. "Kith" means "kint folk." It comes from "ken," which is the same as our word "can"—to know. When one can do a thing, one knows how to do it. Evidently our ancestors believed that knowledge is power. The old word for known was "kith," as the old word for unknown was "unkith," or "un-known." "Uncouth"—strange, unfamiliar, unusual, unknown—has preserved much of its early meaning in Scotland. Burns uses "uncos" in the sense of news. The "uncos" guild, as the strange, marvelous good, "Kith," then, meant "kint folk," people with whom one was familiar. The "kint folk" are the folk we love, and love and familiarity developed out of the word "kith" the curious vocable "kithly," which in course of time underwent considerable phonetic and orthographic changes, but which is still recognizable in the word "cuddle."—Good Words.

**A Vegetable Clock.**  
One of the most curious plants known is the clock plant, which is a native of Borneo, and even in that country it is said to be rare. The plant derives its name from its peculiar habits, which are known to but few who have not studied the plant from a scientific standpoint. The plant has leaves of two sizes, one of which acts in the capacity of a minute hand, which keeps moving until 4 o'clock in the afternoon, and the other keeps going until morning. The larger leaves act as the hour hands. Starting in a position when all the leaves lie close to the stem, with the points hanging down, they also gradually until they turn toward the top, and then they drop to their former position. It takes the smaller leaves about one minute to go through this performance and the longer leaves just about an hour.

**A Chapel in a Coal Mine.**  
One of the most remarkable places of worship in the world is the miners' chapel in Myndd Menigdd colliery, Swansea, Wales, where for more than fifty years the workers have each morning assembled for worship. This sanctuary is situated close to the bottom of the shaft. The only light is that obtained from a solitary Davy safety lamp hung over the pulpit from the ceiling, and the oldest miner in the colliery is generally chosen to officiate. It is the custom in some other places for coal miners to gather together mealtimes for prayer meeting and the like, but it is said that this is the only instance where a special apartment is fitted out in a coal mine as a chapel.

**How "Abide With Me" Was Written.**  
At the age of fifty-four Lyd found himself doomed to die of consumption, and in sorrow at having to leave his task unfinished he prayed that at the least it might be granted him to write something which would live to the glory of God when he was dead. Then on the last evening he ever spent at Brixham, after preaching his farewell sermon, he took pen and ink and the sun was setting over the ships that lay in the harbor "Abide With Me" was written. Next morning he started for the Riviera and there died a month later.—London Telegraph.

**Torture In Colombia.**  
It is a common thing for a Colombian boy of twelve to fourteen to be thrashed to death with cowhide whips for "deserting" from the army—that is to say, running back home after he had been forcibly enlisted. It is generally common for a mere child to be hung up by the thumbs until he dies because he will not—or cannot—say where his father is hidden. Women have been crucified because they have refused to betray their husbands, and others have been treated infinitely worse.—World's Work.

**Didn't Know How to Play.**  
"Charley, dear," said young Mrs. Tomkins, "I have done you a great injustice."

"In what way?"

"I suspected you without reason. I asked several of your friends that you go out with evenings whether you knew how to play poker, and every one of them thought a minute and said you didn't."—Washington Star.

**The Admirable Crichton.**  
To speak of any one as an "Admirable Crichton" is to credit him with being very learned and accomplished, since such a person lived in the sixteenth century. His name was James Crichton, and he lived in Scotland from 1550 to 1625. At the age of seventeen years he was the reputed master of twelve languages and had been given the degree of master of arts when but fourteen because of his great learning. In addition to his accomplishments as a scholar he was poet, musician, sculptor, artist, actor, raconteur, a good horseman and an expert fencer.

**A Statesman's Queer Ambition.**  
The great Lord Grey had an ambition far above politics. He had passed the reform bill, but that did not satisfy his soul. There was talk of Tagliani, and Grey said quite earnestly, "What would I give to dance as well as she!" The statesman who had been prime minister and had left an indelible mark on the history of his country was envious of an opera dancer!—London Chronicle.

**Cruel.**  
"But, papa," wailed the young woman, "you can have no idea how he loves me. He is willing to die for me this very minute."

"Well," said the old man, scratching his head thoughtfully. "I don't know that I have any objection to that. I was afraid he wanted to marry you."

**How They Interpreted It.**  
We are taught not to be anxious for the future, as the future will come in time.

We are taught in the sermon on the mount not to think of the future, because the evil we do in one day is sufficient.—Answers of London School Children.

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LADIES' & GENTS' FURNISHINGS	DRYGOODS	GENTS' AND BOYS' CLOTHING
3 prs. good Ladies' Hose.....\$1.00	21 yds. Good Muslin.....\$1.00	Our Spring Line of Men's and Boy's Clothing is arriving daily.
3 prs. good Children's Hose.....\$1.00	20 yds. Best Prints.....\$1.00	We can give you a good woolen suit for summer wear (jacket) sale for \$6.50, regular price \$9.50.
3 prs. good Men's Socks.....\$1.00	25 yds. Good Toweling.....\$1.00	We also have a large assortment of better goods which will also be reduced in price. Come while the assortment is large and get first choice. Boys' suits from \$1.50 up.
We also have a large assortment of better grade vests to be sold at reduced prices.	All our 15c and 20c Dimities will be sold during this sale for 10c per yard. Over 500 yards to be sold.	<b>LADIES' &amp; GENTS' SHOES</b> Ladies' Good Working Shoes at \$1.45, regular price \$1.75. Men's Good Working Shoes at \$1.50, regular price \$1.75. Boys' Good Working Shoes at \$1.00, regular price \$1.25. Children's Shoes, sale price 40c upwards. We have a complete line of better goods.
<b>MUSLIN UNDERWEAR</b> We can undersell anyone in this line, as we give you a good article for the same price you pay for a poor article elsewhere.	Ladies' Fine Muslin Drawers only 20c each, and the rest of this line is sold in proportion as cheap as these.	
Ladies' Fine Muslin Drawers only 20c each, and the rest of this line is sold in proportion as cheap as these.	Children's Good Sun Bonnets, sale price 25c	
	Children's Good Sailor Hats, sale price 20c	
	Men's and Boys' Crash Hats, sale price 20c	

**ANNOUNCEMENT**  
This is the Most Interesting Item of the Sale: Our Ladies' Shirt Waist Department. We have made particularly Strong Efforts to Obtain one of the Best Assortments of Fine, High Grade Waists Ever brought into this County. By buying Your Waists from Us, You will Save from 50c to 75c on each Waist and Get a Better Grade of Goods Besides. Ladies' Good Summer Shirt Waists from 40c up.  
Remember the date of this Sale: Commencing Thursday, April 14.  
**THE RED FRONT: Main Street, Opp. the Globe Hotel.**

**UNION HOUSE**  
Jackson, Amador Co.  
Meals to Order at all Hours  
—REGULAR MEALS 25 CTS—  
Board and Lodging by the Day, Week or Month.  
Frank Simcich - Prop

**PARAMOUNT**  
Black Stallion by the great Altamont 3600, will make the season of 1904 at  
**IONE-JACKSON**  
and surrounding towns.  
Address F. L. CREASON, IONE P. O.

**PARAMOUNT** is one of the handsomest horses in the State and his breeding is of the very best. Those who raise colts by this beautiful young horse can consider themselves fortunate. A tougher, more hardy, or better formed horse never lived. His sire "Old Altamont" was the greatest sire of extreme speed in his day, having won the 200 list. There are but two or three of his sons in the State, and Paramount outclasses them all in beauty and breeding. Paramount's dam, Nancy, by Engineer, son of the Great Electioneer, was a beautiful mare with extreme speed but never was raced.

**Meals Taken In Drinks.**  
Every one interested in the matter of sane living must wonder at the things the average person drinks. It's a question whether people seek to save time by drinking foods or are merely gratifying their taste. Half an hour passed at any well patronized soda fountain will show the great majority to be indulging in egg mixtures or others in which fruits, ice cream or other food is placed.

A cup of rich chocolate is a small meal. It's a wonder people live at all, considering the insanity displayed in eating and drinking. As for the craving for novelty, the average person will eat or drink anything he has never seen, tasted or heard of before. Export and lightning mixers of drinks count the day lost whose low descending sun sees no new drink achieved. They add the name to their list, and every other person jumps at the chance to taste this new mystery. The good part of it is that so many live through it.—Philadelphia Record.

**The Admirable Crichton.**  
To speak of any one as an "Admirable Crichton" is to credit him with being very learned and accomplished, since such a person lived in the sixteenth century. His name was James Crichton, and he lived in Scotland from 1550 to 1625. At the age of seventeen years he was the reputed master of twelve languages and had been given the degree of master of arts when but fourteen because of his great learning. In addition to his accomplishments as a scholar he was poet, musician, sculptor, artist, actor, raconteur, a good horseman and an expert fencer.

**A Statesman's Queer Ambition.**  
The great Lord Grey had an ambition far above politics. He had passed the reform bill, but that did not satisfy his soul. There was talk of Tagliani, and Grey said quite earnestly, "What would I give to dance as well as she!" The statesman who had been prime minister and had left an indelible mark on the history of his country was envious of an opera dancer!—London Chronicle.

**Cruel.**  
"But, papa," wailed the young woman, "you can have no idea how he loves me. He is willing to die for me this very minute."

"Well," said the old man, scratching his head thoughtfully. "I don't know that I have any objection to that. I was afraid he wanted to marry you."

**How They Interpreted It.**  
We are taught not to be anxious for the future, as the future will come in time.

We are taught in the sermon on the mount not to think of the future, because the evil we do in one day is sufficient.—Answers of London School Children.

**IF YOU WANT TO KNOW WHAT AILS YOU**  
The U. S. mail will bring you the best medical advice for only the cost of writing materials and stamps.

Many people owe their present good health to the fact that they consulted Dr. Pierce by letter, giving him all possible information about their condition, symptoms, etc., and received in return good medical advice which cost them nothing. Write to Dr. R. V. Pierce, founder of the "Favorite Prescription" Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y. Dr. Pierce by no means confines himself to prescribing his well-known medicine. He tells you in the most common-sense way what ails you, what you ought to do, what line of treatment should be followed out in your particular case, and if your case does not indicate the need for this proprietary medicine, he tells you plainly and frankly what you do need, and the best possible method of improving your health. Dr. Pierce treats many chronic cases at a distance, through the mail and all you have to do is to write him your symptoms.

"During my two years of married life I have not had good health," writes Mrs. Daisy Stoddard, of 608 S. Esplanade Avenue, Leavenworth, Kans. "I was all run-down, and my husband got me to write to Dr. Pierce. I got an early reply telling me what the trouble was. I commenced taking Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, and also the Pleasant Pellets, and I can say that I feel like a new woman. I do all my work and do not feel tired out like I used to. I have taken eight bottles of the 'Favorite Prescription.' It makes one feel well and strong."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure dizziness and sick headache.







## LOCAL NEWS OF THE WEEK

Lace sale at Redlick's.  
Each lady in "Three Hats" is a star.  
April 16th.  
Buggy robes from \$2.50 up at P. Piccard's.  
PIONEER FLOUR always has been and still is the best.

Up-to-date dentistry by Dr. Delucchi, the Sutter Creek dentist.

C. G. Humphreys, agent of the Southern Pacific, was in Jackson Sunday and Monday last.

The Grand Opening of the Jackson Shoe Store will take place to-night (Friday). Do not fail to attend.

Men's clothing sale this week at Redlick's.

Raviola and chicken dinner at the Union House next Sunday. Will deliver orders to any place in town.

Geo. W. Brown and A. B. Caminetti have been elected to represent Rathbone Lodge in the grand lodge of K. of P. which meets in Santa Cruz next month.

Louis Schlemann, the piano tuner, will be in town in a few days. Headquarters National hotel. References: Mrs. Dr. Endicott, Mrs. Ed. Kay and Mrs. Dr. Schacht.

Wall paper at Redlick's.

H. M. McGregor, passenger agent of the Union Pacific Railroad Company, was in Jackson the fore part of the week, in company with E. G. Humphreys of the Southern Pacific.

Judge Rust went over to Sonora last Friday to act as judge in a case in the superior court of Tuolumne county. He returned Sunday.

A. H. Kuhlman and Jas. E. Dye left Sunday morning for Fresno, as delegates from the local lodge to the grand lodge of A. O. U. W., which convened in that city early this week.

J. E. Garbarini left for San Francisco Wednesday morning. He has an offer of a situation at a mine in the vicinity of Circle City, Alaska, and if satisfactory terms can be arranged he will accept. His visit to San Francisco is to look into the proposition.

Amador Ledger and New York Tri-Weekly Tribune, \$3.00 a year.

Mrs. Buffington returned to Jackson Saturday evening, after a stay of several weeks with friends in Oakland, San Jose and other points. She will probably remain here some time, the guest of her brother, C. M. Meek.

District Attorney Vicini returned from the city early in the week, and expects to remain for some time. He reports that Mrs. Vicini is steadily improving, with all indications pointing to her ultimate recovery.

Carpets at Redlick's.

Services at the Methodist church next Sunday as usual. The pastor will occupy his pulpit at both services. Morning subject, "Self hurt of sin." Evening subject, "What are you reading?" Sunday school at 2 o'clock.

George Warne, who has been working in the mines of this vicinity for the past four years, left Tuesday morning, intending to return direct to his native land—England. He goes home with the expectation of remaining there.

George Pitots, while catching ball on the Pitots place two miles east of Jackson, had the little finger of his right hand broken. In trying to catch the ball thrown by Vic Bonafey, he was struck in such a way as to fracture the little finger at the joint. He is under treatment by a surgeon.

The Sunday school picnic of the M. E. church will be held on Dwyer's hill, on Saturday, April 30. Mrs. W. S. Williams, Mrs. Dupue, and Miss Emma Boorman are arranging an interesting literary program for the occasion.

Don't miss the lace sale at Redlick's this week.

George Murphy, accompanied by his wife, went to Stockton a few days ago, the latter expecting to visit her relatives there for some time. The grippe was prevalent in the family, and a few days after her arrival Mrs. Murphy was seized with the complaint. Both returned to their home at Butte on Tuesday.

During Thursday night rain fell in Jackson to the amount of 0.25 of an inch. This was the first rain since the 29th of March. It was greatly needed, as the ground was drying out very rapidly. The total rainfall for the season amounts to 32.54 inches, against 28.70 inches for the corresponding period in 1902-3.

Mattings at Redlick's.

Sheriff Norman made a raid on the Chinatown opium den last Monday night. A number of white frequenters were there at the time, and they lit out in some inexplicable manner when it became known that the officials were on their trail. No arrests were made, but the officers are determined to camp on the trail until the white patrons are scattered or arrested.

The Penry building on Main street was occupied Saturday afternoon for the sale of cakes, bread, etc., contributed by members and friends of the Episcopal church, the proceeds of which went to the church. Everything was sold out at an early hour. This sale is to be continued every Saturday afternoon and evening. It has been tried in Sutter Creek, and proved a great help to the church fund.

Last Saturday was the day fixed for receiving bids for removing and rebuilding the M. E. church. We understand that no bids were put in; not that builders are not anxious to undertake the job, but because the specifications were hardly definite enough to enable them to bid intelligently. The matter was laid over for one week. In the meantime the specifications will be revised and amended, so that intending bidders will know exactly what they have to do, and the character of material to be furnished. It is rumored that a number of builders, not only in Jackson, but on the outside, are contemplating putting in bids for the work.

## New Railroad Incorporated.

The Ione and Eastern Railroad Company was incorporated yesterday with a capital stock of \$1,000,000, of which \$14,000 is subscribed. The purpose of the company is to build a road fourteen miles in length from Ione to a point on Sutter Creek. The directors and the amount of stock they have subscribed are Jackson Dennis, \$3500; Wilford Dennis, \$2500; J. J. Fagan, \$1000; William Parry, \$1000; R. E. Wallace, \$2500; H. H. Forns, \$2500; and S. C. Scheeline, \$1000. The company intends to construct a single-track railroad from Ione to Jackson and thence to Sutter Creek. Electricity is to be the motive power. The length of the road is estimated at fourteen miles.—Call, April 13.

From this we infer that the Amador Traction Company which has applied for a franchise from the board of supervisors, is out of the race, inasmuch as Jackson Dennis, who was named as general manager of the other corporation, is the mover of the more recent organization. Both J. Dennis and Wilford Dennis have been in San Francisco on this business for the past two weeks.

We may also state that a representative of the American River Electric Company was in Jackson this week looking into the proposition of an electric line between Ione and the belt. Other parties, representing so it is claimed, well known railroad interests, have also visited this section on the same business. The railroad agitation has had the effect of drawing attention of capitalists to the possibilities of this region from a railroad standpoint, and the general opinion seems to be that it will lead to the construction of a line—either electric or steam—in the near future.

## Joined the Majority.

Mrs. Adelaide Holtz, wife of John Holtz, died at her home at Hunt's gulch on Monday last, after a lingering illness of consumption. She had been sick for about one year, and for several months prior to her death was almost helpless. All that a loving husband and kind friends could do was done to alleviate her sufferings. She was a daughter of J. C. Mello of the Butte, and was a native of Amador county, aged 32 years. Besides her husband, she leaves two sons, Chester and Bayard, aged 12 and 10 respectively. The funeral took place on Wednesday afternoon under the auspices of the Degree of Honor of Jackson, A. O. U. W., and Oro Fino Circle, Companions of Forest, of both of which orders deceased was an esteemed member. These orders attended the funeral in a body, and in regalia. Services were held in the M. E. church, Rev. J. W. Phelps officiating. The remains were laid to rest in the Protestant cemetery.

Biagio Lagomarsino, who lives a few miles east of Jackson, died Wednesday morning, after a sickness of a few days. He was suffering from an obstruction in the stomach, the nature of which we have not learned. He was to have started below for treatment, but the fatal climax suddenly came Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Steven Smallfield died at her residence in Jackson on Wednesday last, after a long illness. She was a pioneer of this section, living at Jackson Gate from early days. She leaves a family of three sons, James, John and Thomas, and one daughter, Miss Kate Smallfield, to mourn her death. Deceased was born in Dublin, Ireland, and was 68 years of age. The funeral will take place to-day from the Catholic church.

## Our First Season Opening Sale

Commenced  
**MONDAY**  
APRIL 11,

and will continue for 15 days only.

Every one of these 15 days will be a memorable event—for you and us. This is our first big sale, it will probably be the biggest sale we are going to have this year. You can therefore easily understand that we are going to make things lively now. Want of space does not permit us to mention more articles than we publish here.

10c Roller Toweling  
16 yards for \$1.00.  
7½c Embroideries  
3 yards for 10c.  
\$1.00 Ladies' Wrappers  
70c, fast color percales.  
Childrens' \$2.50 suits  
\$1.35.

All wool, Latest out.

FOR MORE ITEMS SEE

## Our Big Posters.

THE  
GOLDEN EAGLE STORE

The Jackson Price Cutters

MAIN STREET

Opp. Spagnoli's Drug Store

## FROM OUTSIDE PRECINCTS

### VOLCANO ITEMS.

Peter Jonas, who owns some of the best property in town, is dressing his dwelling house and front fence in pure white for the summer.

Lawyer J. F. Clute was on the sick list last Saturday. Too much sunshine for John.

Justice W. L. Rose, of Sutter Creek, was giving our business men tips on the McCall railroad project and other important matters Sunday. Superintendent Eckhart received word Monday from Sutter, that his wife, who is under treatment by Dr. P. S. Goodman, had had a serious relapse. We learn to-day that she is much better.

Chas. Cassinelli has been trying to lose his "grippe," but is meeting with poor success.

If our corned toes are sufficiently cured by Saturday, we expect to have a great time at the baseball dance.

Ireland and Germany came near severing friendly relations this morning over a dog fight. Germany's torpedo boats were out of fix, however, and did not feel able to cope with Ireland's airships. Austria stepped in as a friendly power, and the matter was amicably settled.

The New Century Club had its bi-weekly meeting at the home of Miss Philena Huey on Friday evening, and proved to be one of the most enjoyable social affairs held in this town in years. The hostess, assisted by Mrs. L. Cook and Mrs. T. D. Dillon, had arranged three contests, of which all joined with a hearty good will. The first was a fishing party. Fifteen questions were asked, and the name of some fish answered the questions. In this Miss Katie Bund won first prize and Joe Marsino the booby prize. Then came a geographical contest, in which the name of some island answered the questions. Chas. Cassinelli received first prize and Mrs. L. Cook the booby prize. Lastly, a picture-advertising contest in which Miss Elsie Clark received first prize and Willie Boydston the booby prize. Card playing and refreshments concluded the evening's enjoyments, when all returned to their homes, feeling that each succeeding meeting is more enjoyable than the last.

One night last week the only real handsome bachelor that we have in town was aroused from his slumbers by a light tapping sound on his bed-room window. "Holy St. Patrick," he shouted. "Be ye angels or be ye a band of them tormented Volcano old maids." Not receiving a reply he called his famous "Black Beauty," seized a winchester and sallied forth to meet the enemy. Creeping slowly and cautiously towards the front gate, he beheld a dark figure standing just inside the gate. In commanding tones he ordered the object not to move at the peril of its life. Rising to his full height with his gun pointed directly at the supposed enemy's head, he stepped squarely in front of the object, drew back his left and sent it straight to the nose, exclaiming, "Take that you black, blanket, blank, take that home in remembrance of me." The supposed enemy fell forward, and the bachelor disappeared in great haste. He was soon busy inside bolting the doors and nailing down the windows, when suddenly the tapping sound was heard again, and again he came forth, this time with a large bowie-knife in hand, and going into the middle of the street he defied the whole world, or any of her people, to meet him in deadly combat. Presently he espied a friendly lamp-post, and grasping it firmly with his left hand he exclaimed: "It's a good thing for you Billy that we are friends, or the buzzards would be feeding upon your carcass on the morrow." At this juncture a particular friend came along and said, "Hello, are you out with the tick-tackers to-night? Where is the stuffed man?" Taking in the situation the old bachelor crept quietly into his house, dragging the dummy in after him, and early the next morning went to visit friends who live less than 100 miles from town.

At the Marsino claim ground-slueing has given way to tunneling. The boys, after washing the gravel now in the dump, will endeavor to get out about 400 carloads before the water supply gives out.

Baroni & Co. are still washing down the mountain side preparatory to taking out the pay dirt. They have encountered two streaks of gravel which they expect to yield abundantly. The Glenn mine is still forging ahead with prospects more flattering than ever. The force has been increased to seven men, and the little mill is never allowed to cease its crushing. We visited this mine Saturday, and were taken through the tunnel by Superintendent Robinson, and it is no exaggeration to say that we were very, very happily disappointed. The ledge is large, and the rock is certainly of high grade, much of it carrying free gold that can be seen with the naked eye. All the ledge is now paying, and the rock does not have to be sorted. The mill is not what it should be, but with all its defects the plates are already heavily laden with the precious metal. The mill will run thirty days before the April clean-up is made. There is no secrecy about the working of this property. Any one interested in mining, who may desire to see for himself, can walk into the tunnel and examine the ledge and see for himself as he desires. A Sutter Creek man visited this property recently, and said, "I did not believe what I had heard and read about this mine. Now I see for myself, and seeing is certainly convincing." Let the whispering know-alls, who have been strutting about during the past ten years, trying to convince the outside world that mining in this camp is a thing of the past, save their heated breath or change their tune, and visit this mine and see for themselves, and spend the rest of their energies in righting a wrong they long since have done the mining interests of this section.

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## NOTES FROM THE MINERS

DEL MONTE.—Geo. I. Wright, superintendent of the Del Monte mine, came down from that property early this week, bringing down a bar of bullion containing 37 ounces, valued at \$600, the product of the ten stamp mill running intermittently during the month from rock in one of the upper levels. The big tunnel is expected to reach the fissure at any moment. It has passed fully 20 feet beyond the point where it was calculated to encounter the ledge. The rock has changed materially, being softer and breaking easier, and the flow of water has largely increased. A breakage of the compressor occurred last week, otherwise the ledge would have been penetrated ere this. Everything was expected to be in running order again last Wednesday, and a few days more is expected to show up something of value.

KENNEDY.—The return of this mine to the dividend paying list is hailed with the utmost satisfaction. A dividend of 5c per share was declared this month, amounting to \$5000. This is the first dividend declared since the new works on the east shaft were started several years ago. Another important move is the grading for an additional 40 stamps at the new mill. This was contemplated from the outset. It is intended to concentrate all the stamps at the east shaft, and do all the hoisting through that shaft. The new hoist is capable of hoisting twice the amount of ore needed for both mills, if necessary. By this concentration of stamps and hoisting power, a great saving will be effected in wages of employees and material.

### A Pleasant Surprise Party.

On Saturday evening, April 9th, a surprise party was tendered Miss Mae Rose at her home at Jackson Gate in honor of her seventeenth birthday. A very pleasant evening was spent in dancing, singing, and playing games. S. F. Dal Porto added much to the enjoyment of all by using some members of the company as hypnotic subjects, who caused much laughter by their comical actions while under the mystic influence. At midnight supper was announced, and an hour was spent in eating, joking, and toasting. At four o'clock they separated, wishing Miss Rose many more such birthdays, and hoping they would all meet again in the near future. Those invited were: Misses Bertha Lucot, Mary Heath, Mattie Ellis, Lucy Swensen, Winnie Dufrene, Hattie Flager, Mrs. J. W. Morrow, Mrs. Cantip, Erma Dufrene, Bernice Rose, Mrs. J. Rose, Marion Flagg, Mrs. S. Rose, Mae Rose, Maude Kerr, Emma Piccard, Amelia Piccard, Pearl Courtwright, Inez Courtwright, Annie Strohm, Luella Roberts, and Emma Johns; Messrs. Joe Solari, James Camello, Will Tam, Frank Mattley, Al. Mattley, Salfredo Dal Porto, Phil Roberts, Chas. Tam, Will Norman, Bert Jones, Eos Rose, John Rose, Jack Ratto, Tom Johns, John Solari, Al. Dufrene, Eugene Dufrene. CONTENTED.

### School Census Marshals.

The school census is required to be taken between the 15th and 30th day of April. The following is a complete list of the census marshals appointed in this county, with the exception of Charity, Pigeon Creek and Rancheria districts. An idea is prevalent that a school teacher or a trustee cannot under the law take the census of a district in which they hold office. We are informed that there is nothing in the law to forbid this, but they cannot draw pay for their services if they do the work:

Grapevine.....	Mrs. Martha Barney
Bridgeport.....	Mrs. H. E. Taylor
Drytown.....	Mrs. A. J. Carley
Spring Valley.....	Mrs. C. H. Vanderpool
St. Echo.....	Mrs. Lena Walker
Lancha Plana.....	Mrs. Lizzie Adams
Jackson Valley.....	Mrs. Jennie Leary
St. Springs.....	Mrs. J. H. Williams
Williams.....	Mrs. Mary S. Davis
Jackson.....	Mrs. Edith Conlon
Julian.....	Mrs. M. Diebold
Sutter Creek.....	Mrs. F. A. Horton
Union.....	Mrs. F. A. Horton
Ione.....	Gilla A. Mack
Pine Grove.....	Mrs. Emma Wheeler
Middle Port.....	Miss Sophie Greilich
Quartz Mountain.....	Mrs. J. N. Cuneo
Pine Grove.....	Miss Lillian Bradshaw
New York Ranch.....	Wm. Hanley
Enterprise.....	Miss Ethel Estey
Antelope.....	J. E. Struanman
Franklin.....	Miss Alberta McKean
Orinda.....	Mrs. K. Gusto
Oleta.....	Mrs. C. Brown
Camp Opra.....	F. A. Horton
Middle Bar.....	Geo. Greenwood
Stony Creek.....	Mrs. Clark Courtwright
Charleston.....	Miss Mamie McKenzie
Pioneer.....	Mrs. J. J. Beauchemin
Milligan.....	Miss Letitia Fitzmaurice
Buena Vista.....	J. B. Tregloan
Amador City.....	St. C. Stowers
Clint Creek.....	Robt. P. White
Clintone.....	Wilhelmina Ehlers
Actua.....	Miss Kate Driscoll
Carbondale.....	Mrs. A. P. White

## Grand Opening Day

Friday, April 15th

Concert to begin at 8 o'clock in the evening. Dancing at 9 o'clock

Everybody Invited to Attend

AT

JACKSON SHOE STORE

J. McCUTCHEN, PROPRIETOR.

## IT IS A MATTER OF HEALTH

**ROYAL BAKING POWDER**  
Absolutely Pure  
THERE IS NO SUBSTITUTE.

### Death of a Veteran.

Died, at Veterans Home, Napa, Cal. April 3, 1904. Benjamin W. Morse, a native of Fitzwilliam, Cheshire Co., N. H., aged 72 years, formerly of Felix, Cal. Mr. Morse came to California in 1854. Kind hearted, temperate in habits and strictly honorable in every day life, his record is that of a pioneer blameless life. His patriotism was shown by enlistment Oct. 4 1864 at Jackson, Cal. in Co. C. 7th Regiment California Infantry, under Capt. Coolidge and was honorably discharged from the service April 20, 1866.—Prospect, San Andreas.

### In Business at Stockton.

D. A. Nuner, son of W. M. Nuner of this place, who for the past year has been conducting the Globe hotel at Jackson, Amador county, has disposed of that popular hostelry and purchased the Stockton renovev works formerly conducted by W. R. Phillips. The renovev works will hereafter be conducted by D. A. Nuner and son at the old location, East Main street, between American and Stanislaus, Stockton California.—Calaveras Chronicle.

The above statement is incorrect. Mr. Nuner is still at the Globe hotel. He had made arrangements to sell his interests here to parties in Lodi, and in that event he may have contemplated moving to Stockton. The failure of the negotiations, however, necessarily led to a change in his plans. It can now be stated definitely that Mr. Nuner has sold the Globe hotel business to Ed. Hurst of Jackson. The deal was consummated early this week. The new proprietor will take charge about the first of next month.

### A Cure for Headache.

Any man, woman or child suffering from headache, biliousness or a dull, drowsy feeling should take one or two of De Witt's Little Early Risers night and morning. These famous little pills are famous because they are a tonic as well as a pill. While they cleanse the system they strengthen and rebuild it by their tonic effect upon the liver and bowels. Sold by The City Pharmacy.

New line of dusters just received at Peter Piccard's harness shop.

for men who toil  
**LEVI STRAUSS & CO'S**  
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### Articles of Incorporation.

On the 2d of March articles of incorporation of the Amador Hyrazine Mining and Milling Company were filed in the county clerk's office. The corporation is formed to carry on mining in this county, and to acquire and operate upon chlorination tailings under the C. J. Best's patents. Sutter Creek is the principal place of business. Capital stock \$50,000, in 50,000 shares of \$1 each. The whole of the stock has been subscribed as follows: H. H. Harrah, C. J. Best and E. J. Harrah, jointly, 37,500; G. A. Norton, 7,500, and M. E. Sayre 5,000 shares, all residents of Oakland, and who are named as the directors.

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